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Independent Claims	* 5	Minus	*** 5	= 0	x \$44	\$	x \$ 88	\$ 0
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RESPONSE

In response to the Office Action mailed September 29, 2004, Applicant responds as follows.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.